



FINBOROUGH  
SCHOOL

INTERNATIONAL  
PROGRAMMES









# WELCOME TO FINBOROUGH

Finborough School is an independent, co-educational day and boarding school for children up to the age of 18. Situated in the heart of the Suffolk countryside, it offers a truly British boarding experience with excellent transport links to London, local towns, and major airports, such as Stansted, Luton, Heathrow and Gatwick.

Driven by the mantra “Better Never Stops,” Finborough prides itself on a unique, character-driven approach to education. This ethos encourages both independence and interdependence, preparing children and young adults for extraordinary lives that lie ahead.

Our Short-Stay Programme invites international pupils aged 8–17 years to experience life at a leading British boarding school. Whether joining for half a term, a full academic year, or a bespoke one-week experience, students are fully immersed in the vibrant life of the school.

Pupils are welcomed into our inclusive boarding community and follow a programme that is designed to enhance linguistic and academic progress as well as social development. All short-stay programmes have a strong emphasis on cultural enrichment and co-curricular engagement.

Finborough is proud to be part of the Forfar Education family of schools, a group committed to delivering outstanding character-driven education across the UK and internationally.

We would be delighted to discuss our international short-stay programmes with you. For more information, please contact [admissions@finboroughschool.co.uk](mailto:admissions@finboroughschool.co.uk) or call **+44 1449 773600**

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Our bravely different yet boldly ambitious methods allow students to become the best versions of themselves. High expectations set alongside steadfast support, enable us to bring out the best in each individual.

Steven Clark, Headmaster

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# OUR PROGRAMMES

Our programmes run throughout the year, and we welcome both individuals or groups of children and young adults.

The school's flagship Short-Stay Programme offers international students the opportunity to join the school from half a term to a full academic year. During this programme, students are fully immersed in school life, benefiting from an enhanced curriculum, with dedicated English language support, and full integration into the boarding community. Daily activities and trips help students build confidence, friendships, and a deeper understanding of British culture. For those requiring sponsorship, Finborough is a UKVI child sponsor and can provide a CAS for students wishing to stay longer than six months.

Our Residential Holiday Club provides a dynamic blend of daytime activities and evening boarding experiences with other international and domestic students. The Residential Holiday Club appeals to those seeking an experience lasting one or two weeks and can be an ideal stepping stone to longer stays or simply booked as a fun

learning experience to develop confidence and independence.

For schools or agents seeking group experiences, Finborough offers a Group Visit Programme for 10+ students, including academic immersion, cultural trips, and a complimentary place for an accompanying school staff member.

Additionally, Finborough offers three bespoke programmes, each lasting one week, for students wanting a more specialist experience.

1. **Discover England** – An action-packed one-week immersion programme visiting cultural and historic sites in London.
2. **Performing Arts** – For students with a flair for performing arts and wishing to develop their confidence and technical performance knowledge.
3. **Pre-Season sports** – Technical coaching and development for players looking to enhance their skills.

For more information and costings, please contact [admissions@finboroughschool.co.uk](mailto:admissions@finboroughschool.co.uk)







# BOARDING LIFE

## Safeguarding and Well-being

Nothing is more important than safeguarding and we have a strong network of people and processes to ensure that the well-being of students is always our highest priority. Our leadership team, tutors, academic staff, boarding staff and peer mentors are all on hand to ensure students joining us are welcomed with open arms and are supported to get the best from their experience with us.

## Integration

- Full Boarding Integration: Students live as part of Finborough's boarding community, fully engaged in school life, with a personalised timetable and taking part in evening activities and weekend trips.
- Pastoral Oversight: Each student is assigned a dedicated pastoral lead (e.g. A tutor or residential mentor and Learnability Coach).

- Option for Guardianship: For younger students and for all students joining for longer than half a term, we encourage UK-based AEGIS approved educational guardianship.

## Co-Curricular, Social and Cultural Experience

- Daily Activities: A balanced mix of academic lessons, sports, creative arts, and themed clubs and activity sessions.
- Weekly Excursions: Weekly enrichment trips as part of the boarding community designed to immerse students in British culture.
- Social: Evening events that could include quizzes, competitions and in-house games.
- Team-Building and Recreation: Group activities to build friendships inside and outside the classroom.



# ADMISSIONS AND CONTACT

Each admission will be supported by an experienced admissions and Short-Stay Coordinator.

For all enquiries, please contact:

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